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LOCAL BRIEFS.

The Sedalia Democrat-Sentinel Saturday distributed 2200 copies of its special State Fair edition around Lexington. The paper contains twenty-four pages and contains much information about the fair.

Mrs. G. M. Penn of Pawhuska, Oklahoma, arrived Friday to visit her mother, Mrs. Anna Rosen.

Severe strains on the vital organs, like strains on machinery, cause break-downs. You can't over-tax stomach, liver, kidneys, bowels or nerves without serious danger to yourself. If you are weak or run-down or under strain of any kind, take Electric Bitters the matchless, tonic medicine. Mrs. J. E. Van de Sande, of Kirkland, Ill., writes: "That I did not break down, while enduring a most severe strain, for three months, is due wholly to Electric Bitters." Use them and enjoy health and strength. Satisfaction positively guaranteed. 50 cents at Crenshaw & Young.

Mrs. B. B. Frazier and daughter, Miss Helen, went to Kansas City Friday evening for a brief visit.

Miss Etta Hinkel of Kansas City who was an attendant at the Stalling-Walk wedding, returned home Friday evening.

Apples Wanted.
 We will be in the market on and after September 6th, for hand picked apples. Located in the room next to the Western Union Coal Company.
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Henry Chiles, Jr., went to Kansas City Friday evening for a brief visit.

Mrs. Evan Young, who has been visiting in Kansas City for the past few days returned home Friday evening.

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Miss Martha Woods accompanied by her niece, Miss Mazie Heiver, went to Independence Saturday for a short visit.

J. O. Coffin went to Joplin Saturday on business.

The Lash of a Fiend
 would have been about as welcome to A. Cooper of Oswego, N. Y., as a merciless lung-racking cough that defied all remedies for years. "It was most troublesome at night," he writes, "nothing helped me till I used Dr. King's New Discovery which cured me completely. I never cough at night now." Millions know its matchless merit for stubborn cold, obstinate, hemorrhage, croup, whooping cough, or hay fever. It relieves quickly and never fails to satisfy. A trial convinces. 50 cents and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. It's positively guaranteed by Crenshaw & Young.

Mrs. M. S. Springer of Sweet Springs arrived Friday to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Rex went to Kansas City Saturday for a brief visit.

Walter B. Waddell returned from a business trip in St. Louis Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Morrison returned from a brief visit in Kansas City Friday evening.

Misses Nick and Gustav Haerle spent Saturday in Kansas City on business.

Sheriff W. S. Peacock spent Saturday in Higginsville on business.

It Saved His Leg.
 "Although I'd lose my leg," writes J. A. Swensen, of Watertown, Wis. "Ten years of eczema, that 15 doctors could not cure, had at last laid me up. Ther Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured it, sound and well." Infalible for Skin Eruptions, Eczema, Salt rheum, Boils, Fever Sores, Burns, Scalds, Cuts and Piles. 25 cents at Crenshaw & Young.

Mrs. Kate Bishop and Mrs. Sarah Hendrix went to Warrensburg Saturday for a short visit.

Messrs. Frank Bowman and J. W. Finley went to Higginsville Saturday to attend the Old Men's Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Garr went to Higginsville Saturday for a brief visit.

Miss Bess Hagood of Higginsville, who has been visiting relatives here for the past week returned home Saturday morning.

Mrs. Chas. Hofer accompanied by her niece, Miss Dorothy Belt, who is attending Lexington College went to Higginsville Saturday morning.

Mrs. Warren E. Comstock arrived from Kansas City Sunday night to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Chiles.

Mrs. B. B. Frazier returned Saturday night from a few days' visit in Kansas City.

Dr. J. J. Fulkerson spent Sunday in Kansas City on professional business.

Bates City is making an effort again to secure a bank. It is the intention to raise \$10,000 for the capital stock, among the business men and farmers surrounding the village. Already \$5,400 of the amount has been subscribed and the new bank will doubtless be a "go" this time. It is said that Joe B. Shelby will likely be the bank's president and Oscar Hudson its cashier.—Odessa Democrat.

SOLDIERS OF PEACE
DESERVE PENSIONS

AMENDMENT NO. 2 IS MEASURE FOR JUSTICE TO TRAINERS OF YOUNG.

THEY TEACH PATRIOTISM
 Welfare of Children Demands Measure for Raising Educational Standard.

"Pensions for the Soldiers of Peace" is the slogan that has been caught up by enthusiastic boosters of Amendment No. 2—the teachers' pension amendment—to be passed on by Missouri voters November 8th.

At more than one political rally in St. Louis the teacher has been alluded to as a soldier of peace. At one such recent meeting the speaker carried the parallel further, and declared that all the arguments for pensions to soldiers injured on the field of battle or suffering from disease resulting from exposure or hardship were no more convincing in favor of pensions to teachers.

"The soldier's duty is to defend the happiness, the peace, the prosperity of a given society against the assaults of armed force. In time of war the soldier bravely braves danger, wounds, privation, suffering—even death.

"It is the teacher's task, now to build up and encourage a sentiment that fires the soldier's heart and nerves his arm; now to inculcate the habits of restraint, and cool reason under provocation, that are disarmed to forestall the appeal to arms in settlement of disputes.

"Peace hath her victories no less renowned than war." And the achievement of the school room though written not so large on the pages of history as those of the tested field are, nevertheless, just as real, just as permanent. And when the school teacher, the soldier of peace, is compelled by age or weakness to give up his vocation he is deserving of the same care in his declining years as the veteran whose arms have been the musket and the sword."

EDUCATORS FAVOR
AMENDMENT NO. 2

CITY SUPERINTENDENTS AND STATE LEADERS SUPPORT PENSION MOVEMENT.

J. M. Greenwood of Kansas City, who, as superintendent for fifty years of a large city system, as president of the Missouri State Teachers' Association, and at one time of the National Educational Association, represents the ripest educational experience and the most practical wisdom, declares that, while he is individually in favor of state pensions for public teachers, he is heartily in sympathy with this movement for some immediate progress.

Superintendent Ben Blewett, of St. Louis, an officer noted for his good business sense and for his acquaintance with the business methods of great corporations, has stated that the system of pensioning those whose efficiency has been exhausted in the service of the employer, has won its own recognition as the soundest policy from the standpoint of the employer or the corporation itself.

Dr. A. Ross Hill, president of the University of Missouri, whose executive ability has marked his efficient administration of various offices in Columbia University and the University of Missouri, and whose former duties as professor of education have given him a comparative knowledge of the best educational practice of the world, says: "I take pleasure in joining in the movement for teachers' pension legislation."

W. J. Hawkins, who has held important educational posts in three of the large cities of the state, and whose present position is president of the Warrensburg State Normal School, asserts that, "Constitutional amendment, authorizing special funds set apart for the purpose of pensions, is a duty that belongs to a state. The teachers spend their lives in building up strong citizenship, and the state should care for them after they are no longer efficient."

John R. Kirk and W. T. Carrington, both of whom have held the position of state superintendent of instruction, are now in charge of state normal schools, and are conversant with educational conditions in every section of the state, have expressed their conscientious endorsement of the contemplated amendment.

W. S. Dearmont, of Cape Girardeau, also president of one of the state normal schools, and for years a trusted adviser in the Missouri State Teachers' Association, is equally emphatic in his approval of the measure.

These endorsements are typical of the educational thought and feeling of the state. Not only have the teachers of Missouri voted with one voice in favor of the proposition, but the residents, property holders and other voters in the three large cities in which the amendment will take effect, have indicated their unqualified support of the movement. If any dissenting voice has been heard it has come from those who feel that the measure is not far-reaching enough.

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